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## Never Nominated by the Democrats.

BY LEO.

At Franklin the other day our senior senator from Ohio undertook to defend his political course within the last four years, especially in the Senate when the rate bill was up for discussion and final action. As is well known, the senator cast his vote, the only Republican vote in the Senate, against the rate bill, and now he gives three reasons for so doing, three formidable reasons, to-wit: the measure in his judgment was "unwise, unconstitutional and unnecessary."

Of course, others thought otherwise. Nearly the whole Republican party, including the Administration, the Senate, the House and the newspapers were of contrary opinion; but Senator Foraker stood alone, talking and voting against the bill, and naturally enough he embraces every opportunity to impress upon his countrymen that all the rest went astray, he alone pursuing the right course. It may be so; but really, it looks a trifle the other way. The many are liable to err, but the one is more likely to go astray, especially when that one has a strong temptation to go in a certain direction. The senator is a railroad man himself and his judgment may be affected by that important fact.

Anyway, the senator deems it necessary to defend himself before the public, which makes it appear as if he had some inkling of something doubtful in his own mind about his course. Well, let that go, and wait for the Supreme court to decide the question of the constitutionality of the rate bill, and then the wisdom or unwisdom of the measure will be more obvious. As to the necessity of the measure, we think, and the whole country seems to think, that something was necessary to check and correct the unjust dealings of railroad corporations. As common carriers they must be made to deal equal justice to all patrons be they rich or poor. If the present rate law will prove inadequate something better must be substituted, or the measure itself must be improved.

After defending himself in his usual eloquent and forcible style, the senator mentions a thing greatly in his favor, that he had never been nominated for the presidency by the Democrats. What an escape this! Other Republican leaders, such as Horace Greeley, had been so nominated and come to grief by it; but Senator Foraker has so far escaped the peril.

But no telling what may happen. The senator is not altogether out of danger. The Democrats are on the lookout for a man. They are somewhat out of conceit with W. J. Bryan because he wants the railroads to be owned by the government. Senator Foraker is the direct antithesis of this. He wants the government to keep out of the railroad business—fights the Administration for trying to regulate them too much. Here is a chance for the Democrats to pick up an available candidate, one "agin the government" with vengeance.

Oh, no, senator, you are not out of danger. The Democrats may conclude to nominate some Republican yet. Boast not too soon. But if there be some danger of the senator on his possible nomination by the Democrats,



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there is nothing to be feared on that score from the Republicans. At one time Senator Foraker was in the forefront of available Republican candidates for the presidency, but there is no danger now. The availability of the senator has entirely passed away. If nominated at all it will be by the Democrats or by the colored race, which would be no better.

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### Otterbein.

Perry Niswonger and family and Frank Coblenz and family visited Thomas Crawford and family Sunday.

Charles Hoff and family, Fred Hawkey and family and Ezra Hetzler and family visited Peter Hawkey and family Sunday.

Wesley Hemp and wife, Ezra Slifer and wife and Wm. Eley and family feasted on ice cream at Gid Windmiller's Saturday night.

Allen Hetzler and wife were called to Union City Sunday to the funeral of a relative.

John Gilfillan and family and T. L. Howell and family visited R. G. Howell and family Sunday.

Lewis Slifer and wife visited Ezra Slifer and wife Sunday.

Douglas McLearn and wife of Richmond, Ind., visited with Charles McLearn and family Sunday.

Zenna Hemp of Eaton called at Wesley Hemp's Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Snyder visited at Wm. Viator's Sunday.

Mrs. Josie Roberts and daughter visited with her sister at New Paris Sunday.

There was a good attendance at Sunday school, which was held at the Township House Sunday morning. There was no preaching, owing to the illness of our pastor, Rev. Huddle. There will be preaching next Sunday morning, either by the pastor or by a substitute, also special music will be rendered. The church will not be ready for services before the first Sunday in August.

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### Our Hoosier Budget.

Portland, Ind., July 22, 1907.

Fortythree years ago today in front of Atlanta two great armies met. Let history tell of the slaughter of July 22, 1864—of our noble McPherson, and of the terrible struggle on that day. Yet the heat that day was not severe on the troops there. Let an army in the northern states make some of the marches that we did in the south in the sixties and the prostrations that would occur. In southern cities there are few heat prostrations or sun-strokes, but in every paper now we read of deaths by heat in our northern cities. The weather here is variable. Recent rains have injured the crops to some extent. Oats have suffered and in every field you will see some of the blades have turned yellow. Some say it is the work of the green bug, but if they take the trouble to look they will see it is scald from too much wet weather. Potatoes in wet clay land are in a bad way. Some patches are dying entirely and some early potatoes are rotting in the ground.

We look for good weather now as last week the Editorial Society of the Democratic wind-jammers of Indiana met at Tom Taggart's place of business and raised the wind sufficient to dry the earth of some moisture. The Hon. J. A. M. Adair, congressman-elect from the eighth Indiana district, and from Portland, told the Democracy slyly at the meeting that he was it and wanted to run for governor. Well, we know Adair and have known him for thirty-five years, but don't think for a moment that we will vote for him for anything. Adair has friends in his party, but few in the other party in his own town.

There is some trouble over the material for the brick streets here and what the council will make of it is for the future to tell.

But little sickness in our city, yet some die, and we are fearful that if the hot weather continues long the little ones will suffer. Mrs. Kershner, an aged lady, is still in a sad condition from paralysis.

Last week we lost one of our prominent citizens by his falling from the rear end of a Big Four train near New Castle, Ind. After an inquest his remains were interred at Fletcher, Ohio. He leaves a wife and several children.

Several of our citizens are up north fighting mosquitos and other bugs. Say, don't you know there is nothing in these summer outings only in name? Some people will visit Rome City and Winona when they should be at home. We know some that went to Rome City and while they were absent their property was sold for delinquent taxes. Some go to the lakes and get cured of hay fever they never had, but such is life. All people are not so very bad—some good people we love, some we do not, and to mix all together we are not as bad a lot

as some other nations.

Most too hot to write a long letter, so we will close and hope to see you at the county fair next month.

DARKE COUNTY BOY.

### Gettysburg.

Henry Horner, who has been making the state of Tennessee his home, returned to spend a couple of weeks among former friends in this county. He was here last week to renew friendship with old friends and acquaintances.

W. C. Choate and wife of Greenfield, Ind., are visiting relatives here for a few days.

Our M. E. ladies pulled off an ice cream festival in our Armory hall Saturday evening and pleased their patrons with an excellent quality of cream and cake, and did quite well financially.

Marion Rohr became convinced that it was not good for man to be alone, and accordingly persuaded a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Wion, Miss Nora, to share his lot with him. They were married at the residence of Rev. J. H. Christian Friday evening. May happiness be theirs.

D. Moul and wife spent Sunday at Pleasant Hill with friends. P. B. Moul and family enjoyed the hospitality of the home of his brother, J. H. Moul, Sunday.

H. F. Dershem of the city spent Saturday evening and Sunday in this place.

Stone masons have finished the foundation of the new bank building and are now at work on I. B. Miller's addition to his business block. Other workmen will go right on in brick and carpenter work of these improvements.

Z. A. Clark is doing some cement work about his residence, thereby adding to its usefulness and appearance.

Wheat cutting has about been finished and hauling into the barn begun. This week will probably see the end of this work, except what may be threshed from the field. Growth conditions have been par excellence for some time and everything presents a promising prospect. Corn, &c., has been making remarkable progress during the last couple of weeks, and should the season continue to maturity as has been so far an unusual product may confidently be expected.

John Cromer's attempt at unloading himself from a load of hay on R. C. Horner's farm last week was not devoid of harm to him, and since then he has been carrying a broken arm and performing locomotion with the use of a cane.

July 22.

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Read our clubbing offers.

### Major George Adams.

(Read by Geo. A. Katzenberger at the meeting of Greenville Historical Society on July 19, 1907.)

This section of Ohio is replete with historical events, many of which have been chronicled and many of which have come down to us as legends. In the early days of the pioneers, many soul-stirring events occurred with but few participants who realized that the recording of the same would be of value, and of great interest to a later generation.

One of the men most prominent in the early history of this section of Ohio was one Major George Adams. This short sketch can not claim to reveal any occasional facts "until now hid away in the past's valley of Avilion". Written more than seventy years after the death of the man whom it treats, this review includes nothing ascertained from the chief character himself, and nothing is stated that was told by any one who knew him. The facts related were previously "precipitated in the opaque sediment of history" and have been gleaned from various publications. We have not ascertained the place of birth of Major George Adams, but from the records on the tombstone we know that he was born about October 31, 1767. Of his boyhood days and the name of his parents nothing is known.

He was a soldier in Harmer's army and the following is taken from the Irwin manuscript in an account of Harmer's defeat set forth by Archer B. Hulbert's Military Roads of the Mississippi Basin. The spelling and capitalization follows the original manuscript: "George Adams informed them that he was near Major Fountain at that time. That it appeared when The Enemy got over Their surprise ten or twelve Indians Discharged Their guns at him. The Major kind of fell or hung on his horse. They then discharged Several Guns at said Adams, he received Several flesh wounds But recovered. By this Time The Militia and the regulars Come up."

The foregoing verifies that he participated in the battle which was claimed as a victory by Harmer, but is known as his defeat, which occurred in the summer of 1789. In the history of Darke county by John Wharry of Greenville, who was, in 1880, the oldest resident of the town in which he had lived more than half a century, it is stated that "Adams survived, and was carried on a litter between two horses to Cincinnati although on the way a grave was dug for him three evenings in succession".

He was also with St. Clair at the disaster of Ft. Recovery, in 1791, and is referred to in the narrative of Thomas E. Irwin. (See Ohio Archaeological and Historical Publications Vol. X, page 379) as follows:

"George Adams, who afterwards lived and died in Darke county and was on that campaign, I think, as a spy. St. Clair placed great confidence in him for former services. He was with the general and a short time before the army retreated he came to that part of the line near where the trace was, gave three sharp yells, and said, 'Boys, let us make for the trace'. He took the lead, a charge was made. I was within five or six feet of him. The Indians give way, a few guns were shot from both sides. When he had got perhaps about thirty rods, Adams ordered them to halt and form a line. They were then on the trace and could not be stopped.

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John Wharry's history of Darke county states that he was commandant of the garrison at Greenville during the negotiations preceding the execution of the treaty of 1814.

Upon inquiry at the pension department we find that it does not appear from the records of that bureau that Major George Adams ever made application for a pension for services in any of the Indian wars and the war of 1812, and for that reason the bureau is unable to furnish any information regarding his services; but upon inquiry at the War department more information was obtained from the Adjutant General's office, as follows:

"No record has been found of the services of George Adams in the Indian disturbances within referred to.

"The name George Adams, however, appears as that of lieutenant-colonel in the captions of the company rolls of a regiment of Ohio militia covering the period of August and September, 1812, and as that of major in the captions of the company rolls of a battalion of Ohio militia for the period from September, 1812, to May, 1813.

"There are no field and staff rolls of the organization mentioned on file in this department, and no further record has been found of the services of this officer."

The following is taken from page 416 of the History of Darke County above:

"Very soon after the cessation of hostilities, Major George Adams who had served in the armies of Harmer and Wayne, came to the township, (Adams) and studying the needs of the pioneers and his own interest as well, erected a flouring mill on Section 33, where now stands the mill of Stoltz and Coppess. This was the pioneer mill of the country, and became known far and wide; and there are many of the pioneers now living who have a pleasing recollection of the gallant major and his oldtime mill. Their estimation was shown by the perpetuation of his memory in the name of the township in which he made his home."

Major George Adams was married to Elizabeth Ellis, whose mother's name was Marraby Ellis, probably the wife of Gen. Ellis, of Marietta. They had the following children: George Adams, who was appointed associate Judge of Darke county in December, 1826; Elizabeth Adams, Thomas, Mary Margaret, Isabella, John, William, Caleb, Cynthia, Anna, and Martha. A granddaughter of Elizabeth Adams, who married Caleb Worley,

resides in this city, and her oldest son, Oscar Kerlin, was one of the two boys who unveiled the Treaty tablet in Greenville on August 3, 1906.

Without doubt other facts concerning Major George Adams are obtainable from descendants of him who has fallen into the deep tranquillity of endless sleep. We regret that the foregoing brief outline could not have contained more definite and additional facts of the many escapes, privations and daring deeds of him whose military and civil life was closely interwoven with the early history of Darke county.

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The great amount of rain is injuring crops in some places. Hail did damage in only small areas.

Frank Brooks has purchased the Harvey Jackson farm.

The drillers have begun on a gas well on Mrs. Louise Keller's farm.

Edward Peters, formerly of this place, died of consumption at the home of his brother, Raleigh Peters, in Iowa, and the body was brought here and interred in the Rose Hill cemetery Monday a week.

When returning home from church Sunday evening a week, the rigs of John Wise and Harry Martin became interlocked, causing Mr. Wise's horse to run away and throwing him violently from his carriage, rendering him unconscious for a while and badly bruising him about the shoulder and head.

July 22. PERPLEXUS.

### Cured of Lung Trouble.

"It is now eleven years since I had a narrow escape from consumption," writes C. O. Floyd, a leading business man of Kershaw, S. C. "I had run down in weight to 135 pounds, and coughing was constant, both by day and by night. Finally I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and continued this for about six months, when my cough and lung trouble were entirely gone and I was restored to my normal weight, 170 pounds." Thousands of persons are healed every year. Guaranteed at Wm. Kipp's Sons' drug store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

### Household Hints.

Add a pinch of soda in water in which fresh cut flowers are put and they will keep longer.

Do not stretch table linen, but iron while damp and press until quite dry; otherwise it will be too limp.

A little raw linseed oil rubbed upon a stovepipe will prevent its rusting. Cover the places with a little blacking and polish.

There is no better filling for needle and pin cushions than sheep's wool, as its oily qualities prevent the needles from rusting.

### Bureau Scarfs.

To make a pretty bureau scarf take three ladies' handkerchiefs with narrow hemstitched border, which can be bought for 8 or 10 cents each; join them together lengthwise, with a row of val lace between each. Then sew val insertion lace all around the four sides. Add a ruffle of val lace and use a colored lining. A sideboard scarf is made with gentlemen's handkerchiefs and imitation cluny lace insertion and edging.

### Labor Saving Device.

All housewives know the difficulty of keeping the carpets, etc., under the beds free from dust and fluff. The following method will be found a saving of labor: Take a piece of unbleached cotton the size of the bed, bind neatly. This should be laid on the floor and fastened securely at each corner, either by safety pins to the carpet or by tapes to the feet of the bed. This can be removed and shaken free from dust.

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